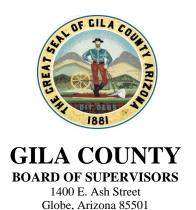
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March 12, 2020

Dear Principal:

This year marks the 50th anniversary of Earth Day, April 22, so to celebrate the Gila County Board of Supervisors invites students, our future community leaders, to participate in an **Earth Day & National County Government Month Art Contest** for youth. All artwork will be displayed for the month of April at the Gila County Courthouse in Globe and Payson. Our theme for the contest is: "What Does Conservation Mean to Me?

Who can enter?

K-5 students attending a Gila County school or a resident of Gila County.

How many artworks can I submit?

Only one submission per student. We want to see your BEST work!

Where do I drop off my artwork?

All artwork can be dropped off at one of the following locations:

- (1) Gila County Courthouse, 1400 E Ash Street, Globe
- (2) Gila County Complex, 610 E Hwy 260, Payson

All artwork must have an Entry Form attached, with the artist's full name, grade, school, teacher and teacher contact information.

When is the deadline?

Artwork is due by <u>Friday</u>, <u>April 17</u>, <u>2020</u>. We will notify your school of the winners the week of April 27th.

What is the Prize?

Artwork will be judged on the following criteria: Creativity, Originality, and best use of the theme.

- One winner from each grade level will be picked
- Each grade level winner will be invited to and recognized at the May 5th Gila County Board of Supervisors Meeting.

- Also, each grade level winner will receive an Earth Day backpack filled with goodies
- In addition, each grade level winner's classroom will be treated to an Earth Day Presentation by our Gila County Recycling & Landfill Management Department. This will include recognizing the winner, Earth Day handouts, an Earth Day bag, along with promotional items and a special treat.

Questions?

If you have any questions, please contact Kenny Keith, he can be reached at kkeith@gilacountyaz.gov or (928) 402-8531. Also, if you would like your artwork back, please contact Kenny Keith by **May 5**th to arrange a date/time for you to pick up your artwork from the Gila County Courthouse, in Globe.

Sincerely,

Woody Cline, Chairman

Gila County Board of Supervisors